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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION **UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

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$\boxtimes$	16 pages of specification, claims, abstract.						
$\boxtimes$	Declaration and Power of Attorney.						
$\boxtimes$	Priority Claimed. Japanese Patent Application Number 2001-376000						
	11 sheets of formal drawings.						
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